Fertilizers Ltd., Chambal Fertilizers and Chemicals Ltd., Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Ltd., Nagarjuna Fertilizers and Chemicals Ltd., and Krishak Bharti Cooperative Ltd.

(c) RIL had quoted a formula for calculating the price of gas as SP=112.5*K+C+ER*(CP-25) 0.15 where C is constant to be quoted by the bidder which must be a positive integers. All the companies have quoted C=1 whereas NFCL quoted C=4.

(d) The benchmark price of gas for fertilizer sector depends on the international prices of fertilizer which are very volatile and depend upon demand supply scenario prevailing in the international market.

Finalisation of tenders

1981. SHRI TAPAN KUMAR SEN:
SHRI MOHAMMED AMIN:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that his Ministry had decided to complete finalization of tender and award of contract for revival of the closed fertilizer units of Durgapur (HFC) and Talcher (FCI) by RCF and Barauni (HFC) and Ramagundam (FCI) by NFL and Gorakhpur (FCI) by KRIBHCO on or before 31st January, 2008 so as to start construction work by February, 2008;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not the latest time schedule for the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI B.K. HANDIQUE): (a) to (c) No Sir. However, pursuant to a decision taken on 12.04.2007, the Government has initiated the process of examination the feasibility of revival of the closed fertilizer units of HFC and FCI, (including Durgapur, Talcher, Barauni and Ramagundam) subject to the confirmed availability of gas. Specifically, Rashtriya Chemicals & Fertilizers (RCF) has shown interest in the Durgapur and Talcher Units; National Fertilizers Ltd. (NFL) has shown interest in Barauni and Ramagundam Units; and Krishak Bharati Cooperative Ltd. (KRIBHCO) has shown interest in the Gorakhpur Unit. The revival process of the closed units is in the stage of examination and preparation of techno-economic feasbility reports. Therefore, at this stage, it is not feasible to indicate a definite time schedule for finalization of tender or for commencement of construction work.

Rise in prices of essential commodities

1982. SHRI S.S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has been seized of the unabated rise in prices of foodgrains and virtually all commodities of common consumption, except sugar, during the last several months;

(b) the details of prices of essential commodities, both wholesale and averages of retail, since 2003-04, month-wise;

(c) the reasons for such persistent steep increase in the prices of essential commodities;

(d) the steps taken, if any, with a view to arresting the same;

(e) whether the weekly rate of inflation being published by authorities do not reflect the real situation pertaining to the prices of essential commodities; and

(f) if so, the reason therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI TASLIMUDDIN): (a) During this year, retain prices of foodgrains have generally been steady. Among cereals mainly rise, showed a marginal increase where as wheat is showing a steady trend in Delhi. Retail prices of some pulses mainly tur dal, has shown an upward trend. Retail prices of gram dal have reduced. Retail prices of vegetables have stablised. Retail prices of potato after reaching a peak of Rs. 15 per kg. on 6.10.07 in Delhi, reduced to 9 per kg. as of 28.11.07 and onion from Rs. 27 per kg. on 3.10.07 has reduced to Rs. 11 per kg as of 30.11.07.

(b) The details of prices of essential commodities, both wholesale and averages of retail, since 2003-04, month-wise is given in the enclosed Statement (*See* below).

(c) The main reason for inflation in some food articles is inadequate domestic supplies in relation to demand and hardening of international prices of foodgrains. Internationally, the position of global stocks has been very tight, on account of diversion of foodgrain to bio-fuel and animal feed and production losses due to inclement whether conditions, leading to inflationary pressures.

(d) Steps taken by the Government—

(i) To augment availability of wheat during the current year STC is in process of importing 13.06 lakh Mts (+/-5%). So far, about 4.35 lakh tonnes of wheat has arrived in India as on 14.11.2007. The wheat is scheduled to arrive at Indian ports from November to December 2007. Period of validity of import of wheat at zero duty was extended from 31.12.06 to 28.2.2007 and further to 31.12.07.

(ii) Export of wheat has been banned w.e.f. 09.02.2007. The ban will remain in force up to 31.12.2007.

(iii) In order to maximize procurement of wheat and paddy, the Government has been announcing bonuses in the last 5 years. The Government has on 9.10.2007 made a decision to fix the MSP of wheat for Crop Year 2007-08 (to be marketed in RMS 2008-09) at Rs. 1000 per quintal. it also approved an incentive bonus of Rs. 100 per quintal during the Kharif Marketing Season 2007-08 for rice. Similarly, the export of non-basmati rice below Minimum Export Price of $4[illegible] per MT has been banned by the Government on 25.10.07.

(iv) Government has taken steps to insulate the poor section of society from price rise by distribution of these commodities through PDS. The increasing trend of offtake of foodgrains year after year shows the improvement in the performance of Public Distribution System in the country.

	Offtake of foodgrains (Lakh tonnes)				
Years	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08 (upto August, 07)
	239.31	293.55	311.05	313.70	138.02

(v) Government has protected vulnerable sections of society through Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS) and Antodaya Anna Yojana (AAY). The strengthening of

the TPDS to improve its efficiency, accountability and effectiveness is an ongoing process. The Targeted Public Distribution System is operated under the joint responsibility of the Central and the State Governments wherein the Central Government is responsible for procurement of foodgrains, storage and their transportation upto principal distribution centres of FCI. And the state Governments are responsible for identification of beneficiaries, issue them ratio cards and distribute foodgrains through a vast network of 4.91 lakh Fair Price Shops scattered all over the country.

(vi) Under the TPDS, wheat, rice, sugar and kerosene oils are allocated to State Governments for distribution through the Fair Price Shops. The offtake of wheat and rice under Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS) and other welfare schemes (OWS) has, however, been going up as shown in table.

(in lakh tonnes)

Financial Year	TPDS		OWS	
	Wheat	Rice	Wheat	Rice
2002-03	97.77	105.64	10.67	17.12
2003-04	108.09	133.85	53.39	82.24
2004-05	130.31	166.21	41.24	64.85
2005.06	121.91	191.96	39.30	58.66
2006-07	103.90	212.49	12.69	38.01

(vii) The Central Issue Price for rice and wheat for different categories is given in table below. The Central Issue Price has not been revised since 1.7.2002.

(Rs. per quintal)

	APL	BPL	AAY
Rice	830 'A' Grade & 795 (Common)	565	300
Wheat	610	415	200

(viii) Customs duty on import of pulses was reduced to zero on June 8, 2006 and the period of validity of import of pulses at zero duty has been extended from 31.3.07 to 1.8.2007 and further to 31.3.09

(ix) A ban was imposed on export of pulses with effect from June 22, 2006 (except export of kabuli chana w.e.f. 7.3.07). The period of validity of prohibition on exports of pulses which was initially upto 31.3.07 was further extended upto 31.3.2008, vide DGFT Notification dated 9.3.2007.

(x) As per initiative of Government the State agencies (NAFED, PEC Ltd, MMTC and STC) would target to import 1.5 Million Metric Tonnes (MMT) of imports of pulses Out of the total contracts of 12.23 lakh tonnes made by these agencies, 7.21 lakh tonnes have arrived up to 13.11.2007.

(xi) Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) had been asked to import edible oils and to augment edible oils availability in the domestic market during the current festival season. So far, they have placed orders for import of 43,500 tons of edible oils as on 19.11.2007.

(xii) With effect from 23.7.07, the import duty on sunflower oil, both crude and refined, has been reduced and now stands at 40% and 50% respectively. Prior top 1.3.07 they were 65% and 74% respectively.

(xiii) With effect from 23.7.07, the import duty on palm group of oils has been further reduced by ten percentage points, making the import duty on crude palm oil (CPO) at 45% and that on refined palm ol at 52.%. The Government has also withdrawn the 4% additional countervailing duty on all edible oils. Prior to 24.1.07 these were 70% and 80% respectively.

(xiv) With effect from 23.07.07, import duty on Soya oils has been reduced from 45% to 40%.

(xv) To dampen the exports, NAFED has continuously monitored prices and has been fixing Minimum Export Prices (MEP) accordingly. To increase the domestic availability of onion. NAFED increased the MEP from USD 250 PMT in March/April 2007 to US$ 495 PMT in October 2007. Since domestic prices of onion now show a declining trend, NAFED has reduced the MEP by US$70 on 21.11.07. The export of onion was also put under license throug designated canalizing agencies vide Notification No. 22 (RE-2007)/2004-2009 dated 4th October 2007. This restriction has now been lifted w.e.f. 16.11.07 having regard to the increased availability of kharif onion.

Furthermore, Government also organised sale of onion through mobile centres operated by Delhi Government, NAFED, Kendriya Bhandar as well as Mother Dairy. These outlets numbering around 375, sold onion at Rs 17-18 per kg when the outside price was Rs. 22-24 per kg.

Due to above Government efforts, the market rates of onion in Azadpur mandi has declined from Rs. 1535 on 18.10.07 to Rs. 550 per qtl as on 29.11.07. The arrivals show an increase from 6300 to 15000 qtls during same period. The prices of onion in Nasik Mandi registered a decline from Rs. 1370 per qtl as on 18.10.07 to Rs. 701 (tentative) per qtl as on 29.11.07. The arrivals show an increase from 8345 qtls to 21000 qtls (tentative) during same period. The retail prices of onion at Delhi is Rs. 11 per kg as of 30.11.07. NAFED and other STE exported (NOCs and direct onion during the year 2007-08 (as on 29.11.07 was 4.74 lakh tonnes as against 8.02 lakh tonnes for the corresponding period.

Owing to the softening of onion prices, DGFT vide Notification No. 51 dated 14th November, 2007, has allowed export of onion through STEs without quantitative ceilings. NAFED has also further reduced the MEP to $250 PMT for December in order to boost exports.

(xvi) Steps were taken by Reserve bank of India to reduce liquidity in the system by increasing the cash reserve ration, first to 7% w.e.f. 6th August 2007 and then to 7.5% on 30 October 2007. These have mopped up liquidity in the market by more than Rs. 30,000 crores.

(xvii) Forward Markets Commission (FMC) has on 23.01.07, directed the three National Exchanges, namely (a) Multi Commodity Exchange of India Ltd., (b) National Commodity & Derivatives Exchange Ltd., (c) National Multi Commodity Exchange of India Ltd., to delist all contracts of tur and urad and to close out all outstanding positions in all Tur and Urad contracts at the closing price on 23.01.07. FMC has also stated that no further contract shall be launched without its priorapproval and permission already granted to launch contracts in Urad and Tur stands withdrawn.

(xviii) FMC has on, 27.2.2007, directed all the three National Exchange that no new futures contracts in wheat and rice shall be launched,. In the letter to the Exchagnes, FMC has stated that permission already granted for yet to be launched contracts stands revoked and that in respect of running contracts in these commodities no new position should be allowed to be taken. Only squaring up of position should be allowed.

(xix) To contain volatility in the futures prices of wheat, sugar, pulses, etc. Forward Markets Commission (FMC) has taken required regulatory measurs such as imposition of limits on open position, reduction in limits on daily price fluctuations and imposition of additional/special margins.

(xx) An Expert Committee has been set up under the chairmanship of Shri Abhijit Sen, Member, Planning Commission to study impact, if any, of the trading in forward markets on the prices of the commodities.

(xxi) Keeping in view the prevailing price situation, the Central Government has issued a Central Order dated 29.08.2006 under the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 to enable the State Governments to invoke Stock Limits in respect of wheat and pulses for a period of 6 months. By virtue of this Order, the State Governments/UT Administrations have been empowered to take effective action to bring out the hoarded stock of these items to ensure their availability to the common people at reasonable prices. Government has, on 1.9.2007, extended the validity of the Central Order by another six months.

(e) and (f) The weekly year-on-year inflation measured in terms of WPI for composite index of 30 essential commodities has moderated in recent weeks. This is reflected in the retail prices as mentioend above. Details of inflation from first week of April 2007 is indicated in the Table below.

WPI based weekly inflation of essettial commodities in per cent (2007-08)

Date Inflation	Date	Inflation	Date	Inflation	
07 Apr.	3.42	07 July	3.33	06 Oct.	0.28
14 Apr.	3.47	14 July	3.25	13 Oct.	0.34
21 Apr.	3.15	21 July	2.70	20 Oct.	0.69
28 Apr.	2.70	28 July	2.90	27 Oct.	0.69
05 May	2.47	04 Aug.	2.92	03 Nov.	0.34
12 May	2.15	11 Aug.	2.83	10 Nov.	0.39
19 May	1.05	18 Aug.	2.61	17 Aug.	0.95
26 May	0.99	25 Aug.	2.53	17 Nov.	0.95
02 June	0.28	01 Sep.	2.02		
09 June	0.42	08 Sep.	1.14		
16 June	0.61	15 Sep.	1.43		
23 June	1.39	22 Sep.	0.73		
30 June	1.83	29 Sep.	0.31		

Note: The figures are provisional from June 30 to Nov. 17, 2007

Containment of inflation remains high on the agenda of the Government. Anti-inflationary policies of the government include strict fiscal and monetary discipline, rationalization of duties of essential items so that there is no undue on the poor, effective supply-demand management of essential commodities through liberal tariff and trade policies, and strengthening the public distribution system.

Statement

Monthly average retail prices at Delhi from 2003-04 to 2007-08 (up to Nov, 07)

(Rs. per kg.)

	Rice	Wheat	Atta	Gram Dal	Tur Dal	Sugar	Ground-nut oil	Mustard oil	Vanas-pati	Tea (Loose)	Potato	Onion	Salt (Packed)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
2003-04													
March,2003	12.00	7.67	NR	22.38	28.13	13.88	88.25	53.00	50.63	102.50	4.13	6.63	6.50
April,2003	12.00	7.55	NR	23.70	28.70	13.40	90.80	56.00	51.80	98.00	4.50	7.80	6.70
May,2003	12.20	7.50	NR	24.00	29.00	13.50	90.25	60.00	52.00	100.00	4.63	7.50	7.00
June,2003	12.13	7.81	NR	23.38	29.00	13.63	90.00	60.25	51.25	100.00	6.25	7.25	7.00
July,2003	12.00	7.75	8.75	23.00	29.00	14.35	89.60	61.20	49.80	100.00	8.80	9.00	7.00
August,2003	11.50	7.75	8.88	23.00	28.50	15.00	88.25	60.25	48.25	100.00	8.25	9.00	7.00
September,2003	12.00	7.81	8.88	22.75	28.75	15.00	88.00	59.50	48.25	100.00	8.38	9.75	7.00
October,2003	11.95	8.15	8.75	23.00	29.70	15.05	88.00	62.00	48.80	100.00	8.50	13.20	7.00
November,2003	12.00	8.38	9.19	23.00	29.88	14.88	88.00	62.00	51.00	100.00	6.88	10.75	7.00
December,2003	12.00	8.65	9.25	23.00	30.70	14.70	87.60	62.80	51.20	103.00	4.80	10.80	7.00
January,2004	12.00	8.75	9.25	23.00	31.25	14.44	86.00	63.50	52.00	105.50	4.00	12.50	7.00
February,2004	12.50	8.75	9.25	22.63	31.00	15.88	86.25	65.50	52.75	106.50	4.00	11.75	7.00
March,2004	12.30	8.63	9.26	23.00	29.80	15.80	86.00	61.00	54.60	106.20	4.70	9.10	7.00
2004-05													
April,2004	12.00	8.44	9.06	22.25	29.38	16.25	86.00	54.25	55.00	105.25	5.88	8.25	7.00
May,2004	12.25	8.00	9.00	22.50	30.75	17.00	86.00	54.00	55.00	105.00	7.00	7.50	7.00
June,2004	13.00	8.00	9.00	22.70	32.60	17.00	84.40	53.00	54.20	105.00	9.20	7.20	7.00
July,2004	13.00	8.25	9.00	23.00	33.13	17.00	86.50	54.50	54.00	104.50	10.00	7.88	7.00

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
August,2004	13.00	8.63	9.00	23.00	33.50	17.13	85.75	56.00	54.75	103.75	10.13	8.75	7.00
September,2004	13.00	9.00	9.00	23.00	33.60	17.60	84.80	57.00	56.00	103.00	10.50	9.10	7.00
October,2004	13.00	9.00	9.00	23.00	33.88	17.38	85.75	56.00	55.00	103.00	11.25	10.13	7.00
November,2004	13.00	9.00	9.00	23.00	33.00	17.25	85.50	56.00	54.25	103.75	9.38	9.75	7.00
December,2004	13.00	9.00	9.10	23.00	33.00	18.00	84.00	55.80	53.60	104.00	5.10	8.80	7.00
January,2005	13.00	9.00	9.00	23.00	31.38	19.88	84.00	54.75	51.75	104.75	4.38	8.25	7.00
February,2005	13.00	9.00	9.25	23.00	30.75	19.75	83.75	53.25	51.00	103.88	4.63	8.00	7.00
March,2005	13.40	8.60	9.70	22.60	30.30	19.80	82.40	52.20	50.20	101.50	5.40	7.80	7.00
2005-06													
April,2005	13.25	8.13	9.13	22.50	30.00	19.13	80.75	51.00	51.25	99.25	7.25	8.00	7.13
May,2005	12.38	8.13	9.13	22.75	30.00	19.00	81.00	50.50	49.50	101.00	7.00	7.75	8.00
June,2005	12.80	8.80	9.50	23.40	31.20	19.00	81.20	49.40	48.60	100.50	7.80	7.00	8.00
July,2005	13.00	9.00	9.50	25.00	32.79	20.00	79.17	50.75	52.75	93.96	11.08	12.00	7.33
August,2005	13.00	9.00	9.50	25.00	33.00	20.50	82.00	51.80	48.00	101.10	11.40	10.30	8.00
September,2005	13.00	9.00	9.50	25.00	33.00	20.00	82.75	51.00	47.25	101.50	11.13	14.38	8.00
October,2005	13.00	9.00	9.88	25.00	32.75	20.00	83.00	49.50	47.00	104.25	11.00	16.50	8.00
November,2005	13.00	9.30	10.10	25.90	33.50	20.00	83.60	50.80	47.00	103.10	11.20	16.60	8.00
December,2005	13.00	9.88	10.50	27.25	33.50	19.75	84.00	51.00	47.00	102.38	9.25	11.63	8.00
January,2006	13.00	10.75	11.75	27.00	32.75	20.38	84.25	50.75	47.00	102.88	7.75	8.75	8.00
February,2006	13.00	11.00	12.00	27.00	33.50	21.75	85.00	50.00	47.00	104.00	7.13	7.00	8.00
March,2006	13.00	10.80	11.70	27.20	33.70	21.40	85.00	49.00	47.60	103.00	7.70	7.00	8.00

2006-07													
April,2006	13.00	10.00	11.00	27.75	33.75	21.38	85.00	48.25	48.00	104.50	7.75	6.88	8.00
May,2006	13.60	10.00	11.00	30.20	34.00	22.00	85.00	49.00	48.60	105.90	8.00	6.80	8.00
June,2006	14.00	10.00	11.00	31.38	33.88	22.00	85.00	49.00	49.00	107.50	10.50	7.63	8.00
July,2006	14.00	10.00	11.00	30.63	32.50	21.00	85.00	49.25	49.50	107.75	10.00	8.75	8.00
August,2006	14.00	10.40	11.40	32.40	33.20	21.00	86.40	51.60	53.00	105.40	11.60	9.30	8.00
September,2006	14.25	11.00	12.00	38.25	34.50	21.00	89.50	52.00	55.75	106.13	12.38	9.25	8.00
October,2006	14.75	11.00	12.13	43.38	35.00	21.00	90.00	53.00	56.00	107.75	12.25	9.63	8.00
November,2006	11.40	9.60	10.50	33.00	27.40	16.20	71.40	44.40	44.80	86.90	9.80	7.60	6.40
December,2006	14.63	12.00	13.00	39.25	33.25	19.75	91.50	58.00	56.00	109.00	7.63	10.00	8.00
January,2007	14.90	12.00	13.00	36.60	33.90	19.00	93.40	57.60	56.00	109.30	6.00	14.90	8.00
February,2007	15.00	12.00	13.00	35.75	35.75	19.00	95.00	56.00	56.00	109.63	6.75	18.25	8.00
March,2007	14.88	12.00	13.00	32.63	35.00	18.00	97.75	55.25	56.00	109.75	8.13	13.25	8.00
2007-08													
April,2007	15.00	11.50	13.00	33.00	38.25	17.38	99.25	56.00	56.00	108.38	8.75	11.50	8.00
May,2007	15.00	11.80	12.80	32.80	38.30	16.60	101.40	56.40	57.00	106.20	9.50	9.80	8.00
June,2007	15.00	11.00	12.00	33.25	38.00	17.00	103.00	57.25	57.00	106.25	11.75	11.25	8.88
July,2007	15.00	11.50	12.50	33.13	39.25	16.63	104.25	60.00	58.00	106.50	13.25	14.75	9.00
August,2007	15.00	12.00	13.00	33.40	39.40	16.00	113.60	61.40	59.80	106.00	14.50	17.80	9.00
September,2007	15.00	12.00	13.00	34.25	39.63	16.00	118.00	62.00	60.00	108.00	14.25	22.13	9.00
October,2007	15.00	12.00	13.00	34.20	39.80	16.00	118.80	62.00	60.00	107.60	14.40	23.20	10.00
November,2007	15.67	12.00	13.00	34.67	40.00	16.67	119.67	63.33	61.33	108.00	13.33	15.67	10.00

Source: State Civil Supplies Department NR-Not Reported @-Rs. per litre.

Monthly average wholesale prices at Delhi from 2003-04 to 2007-08 (up to Nov. 07)

(Rs. per qtl.)

2003-04	Rice	Wheat	Atta	Gram Dal	Tur Dal	Sugar	Ground-nut oil	Mustard oil	Vanas-patti	Tea (Loose)	Potato	Onion	Salt (Packed)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
2003-04													
March, 2003	922.50	696.25	NR	1857.50	2431.50	1296.75	8131.50	4732.75	5057.75	8625.00	216.75	356.75	560.00
April, 2003	927.00	667.40	NR	1863.00	2397.60	1251.00	8241.00	5106.04	5019.80	8800.00	235.40	420.60	560.00
May, 2003	943.75	671.25	NR	1861.25	2380.00	1263.75	8091.50	5274.75	4966.50	8500.00	300.00	442.50	560.00
June, 2003	923.75	698.75	NR	1935.00	2421.25	1293.75	8033.00	5141.25	4883.00	8500.00	353.75	462.50	560.00
July, 2003	954.00	691.00	774.00	1920.00	2510.00	1381.00	8433.00	5306.00	4779.60	8500.00	502.00	550.00	558.00
August, 2003	933.75	682.50	740.00	1856.25	2500.00	1432.50	8341.25	5049.50	4591.75	8500.00	505.50	536.25	560.00
September, 2003	948.75	691.25	753.25	133.75	2412.50	1436.36	8366.25	5249.75	4658.00	8500.00	459.00	583.00	560.00
October, 2003	963.00	753.40	810.00	1859.00	2483.00	1433.00	8346.00	5386.40	4806.60	8500.00	442.00	747.00	560.00
November, 2003	951.25	759.25	837.50	1805.00	2481.25	1396.25	8266.25	5549.75	4983.00	8500.00	363.75	557.50	560.00
December, 2003	964.00	776.20	856.80	1779.00	2467.00	1367.00	8145.80	5616.40	5032.40	9280.00	327.00	506.40	560.00
January, 2004	983.25	791.25	871.00	1735.00	2518.75	1332.50	7856.00	5640.00	5127.00	10500.00	281.75	758.75	560.00
February, 2004	1023.75	788.75	855.00	1728.75	2522.50	1506.25	7829.00	5759.50	5191.50	10525.00	322.50	734.25	560.00
March,2004	1015.00	737.00	802.00	1726.00	2493.00	1481.00	7800.00	5317.80	5369.00	10040.00	372.60	540.40	560.00
2004-05													
April, 2004	1026.25	668.00	760.00	1721.25	2495.00	1535.00	7592.25	4509.50	5364.50	10000.00	443.50	443.75	560.00
May, 2004	1065.00	672.50	742.50	171.75	2605.00	1602.50	7783.50	4852.75	5246.25	10000.00	529.75	385.00	562.50

June, 2004	1084.00	676.00	756.00	1683.00	2741.00	1602.00	7506.40	4574.20	5128.80	10000.00	575.20	319.80	561.00
July, 2004	1086.25	725.00	827.50	1718.75	2816.25	1591.25	8296.25	4880.75	5237.25	10000.00	597.50	391.25	570.00
August, 2004	1103.75	764.25	860.00	1791.25	2918.75	1636.25	8525.25	5109.50	5304.75	9725.00	681.25	462.25	578.75
September, 2004	1115.00	750.00	837.00	1899.00	3030.00	1661.00	8300.00	4988.60	5275.00	9590.00	687.60	487.60	612.00
October, 2004	1120.00	748.75	832.50	1826.25	2975.00	1668.75	8406.00	5054.50	5265.50	9512.50	718.75	512.50	615.00
November, 2004	1120.00	765.00	851.25	1752.50	2872.50	1648.75	8324.00	5073.00	5154.50	9500.00	494.50	503.75	615.00
December, 2004	1108.00	775.00	852.00	1752.00	2806.00	1749.00	8460.20	5025.00	5032.20	9500.00	400.60	425.00	615.00
January, 2005	1063.75	770.00	848.75	1777.50	2643.75	1916.50	8241.50	4871.00	4834.75	9500.00	350.25	390.75	615.00
February, 2005	1055.00	780.00	856.25	1777.50	2615.00	1840.00	7966.00	4816.25	4669.75	9500.00	355.00	363.75	615.00
March, 2005	1072.00	767.00	844.00	1775.00	2543.00	1838.00	7567.00	4717.80	4695.60	9800.00	353.20	391.00	618.00
2005-06													
April, 2005	1100.00	697.50	811.25	1826.25	2583.75	1811.25	7618.50	4442.50	4761.75	9247.75	491.25	401.25	660.00
May, 2005	1120.00	706.25	820.00	1870.00	2567.50	1786.25	7692.00	4313.00	4789.00	9070.00	550.50	353.00	720.00
June, 2005	1100.00	754.00	838.00	1993.00	2771.00	1786.00	7633.20	4336.80	4556.40	9148.00	600.80	327.40	720.00
July, 2005	1105.00	769.00	854.00	2021.00	2953.00	1857.00	7742.80	4461.20	4431.80	9096.00	702.80	575.20	723.00
August, 2005	1089.00	763.00	844.00	1966.00	2941.00	1885.00	7794.00	4615.00	4373.80	9110.00	710.20	627.60	721.00
September, 2005	1067.50	760.00	841.25	2091.75	2947.50	1853.75	7957.25	4448.75	4395.25	9125.00	717.25	953.25	718.75
October, 2005	1049.75	798.75	875.75	2150.00	2968.75	1853.75	8058.00	4514.25	4396.00	9163.75	759.50	1187.25	720.00
November, 2005	1031.40	842.40	923.80	2240.00	2977.00	1876.40	8087.60	4550.60	4425.20	9184.00	805.20	869.80	714.00
December, 2005	1035.50	889.50	974.25	2305.00	2973.00	1829.25	8113.50	4583.75	4468.75	9208.75	743.50	506.25	708.75
January, 2006	1028.25	974.75	1070.25	2340.50	2818.50	1939.50	8058.00	4534.00	4466.50	9241.25	715.50	390.75	700.00
February, 2006	1035.75	959.75	1072.00	2316.25	2987.00	2067.00	8058.00	4530.50	4435.50	9276.26	675.25	362.75	705.00
March, 2006	1036.40	949.40	1055.60	2307.00	2976.00	1992.60	7875.00	4414.80	4609.20	9279.20	648.00	347.60	704.00

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2006-07													
April, 2006	1041.25	822.00	949.00	2437.75	3000.00	2030.75	7925.00	4287.50	4507.50	9290.00	597.25	328.25	700.00
May, 2006	1136.00	839.60	941.00	2662.00	3006.00	2061.60	8146.00	4411.20	4637.20	9348.00	672.80	305.20	700.00
June, 2006	1157.50	857.50	938.75	2722.50	3008.75	2028.75	8058.00	4468.00	4761.75	9447.50	731.75	325.00	700.00
July, 2006	1165.00	862.50	942.50	2702.50	2921.25	1974.50	8085.25	4551.00	4931.75	9498.75	747.25	375.00	703.75
August, 2006	1187.00	925.00	1026.00	2790.00	2866.00	1956.00	8204.80	4627.20	5155.00	9528.00	740.20	425.20	711.00
September, 2006	1285.00	988.75	1095.00	3236.25	3010.00	1910.00	8497.75	4605.75	5394.00	9531.25	797.25	434.50	708.75
October, 2005	1300.00	1022.50	1122.50	3853.75	3006.25	1908.75	8561.75	4560.00	5375.50	9500.00	972.00	544.00	701.25
November, 2006	962.00	906.00	989.00	2955.00	2400.00	1503.00	7052.40	4051.00	4270.20	7600.00	622.60	327.60	564.00
December, 2006	1232.50	1111.25	1220.00	3533.75	2987.50	1765.00	8998.50	5328.75	5383.75	9500.00	506.50	612.75	720.00
January, 2007	1225.00	1086.00	1187.00	3279.00	3100.00	1657.00	9120.20	5106.00	5347.00	95.00	385.20	905.20	720.00
February, 2007	1207.50	1055.00	1163.75	3101.25	3181.25	1583.50	9340.00	4999.50	5328.50	9500.00	409.75	997.00	720.00
March, 2007	1256.25	1028.75	1151.25	2825.00	3137.50	1547.50	9623.75	4898.50	5256.00	9500.00	575.25	725.00	720.00
2007-08													
April, 2007	1225.00	991.25	1125.00	2812.50	3156.25	1506.25	9797.00	5076.75	5411.50	9387.50	640.50	594.00	725.00
May, 2007	1230.00	929.00	1051.00	2736.00	3150.00	1448.00	9852.60	5105.40	5486.60	9260.00	675.20	472.80	732.00
June, 2005	1308.75	935.00	1052.50	2763.75	3211.25	1480.00	9972.25	5173.50	5530.50	9227.50	843.25	603.50	741.25
July, 2007	1285.00	978.75	1135.00	2986.33	3435.00	1482.50	10274.50	5493.75	5613.00	9241.25	840.75	722.25	752.50
August, 2007	1250.00	1026.00	1245.00	2990.00	3545.00	1438.00	10946.80	5640.60	5618.60	9285.00	970.40	1035.20	805.00
September, 2007	1306.25	1020.00	1165.00	3002.50	3556.25	1417.50	11318.00	5613.75	5568.00	9285.00	984.75	1365.75	827.50
October, 2007	1360.00	1026.00	1142.00	2978.00	3535.00	1415.00	11193.80	5560.00	5495.00	9285.00	1002.60	1300.20	832.00
November, 2007	1393.33	1030.00	1165.00	3006.00	3575.00	1426.67	11306.33	5725.33	5567.67	9285.00	729.33	791.67	850.00

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